

PART I—Section 2.

GENERAL.

No. G. 12799—G. M. 219-15-13, dated 11th March 1916.

The powers conferred by Government Notification No. G. 3646—G. M. 56-10-13, dated 17th December 1910, on the Revd. Alfred Garland of the Wesleyan Mission to solemnise marriages and to grant certificates of marriage under the Christian Marriage Laws in force in Mysore, are hereby revoked, the Reverend gentleman having been transferred to a station outside the Mysore Province.

No. G. 12804—G. M. 76-15-233, dated 11th March 1916.

In continuation of Government Notification No. G. 12443—G. M. 76-15-229, dated 3rd March 1916, the following Telegram No. 1851-W., dated 18th February 1916, from the Secretary to the Government of India, to all Collectors of Customs and the Political Resident at Aden, is hereby republished for general information :—

" My telegram, 11th February, No. 1096-W. Pepper. Following should be substituted for the last two sentences. Begins. All applications for licenses to export to neutral countries in Europe (other than to Holland in regard to which licenses may be granted by you for export to Netherlands Overseas Trust within limit of normal Dutch trade) whether existing commitments or new business must be referred for orders to Government of India. Licenses for export to Allied countries may be granted freely unless there are abnormal demands for Italy and Japan in which case question of export to those two countries should be referred to Government of India. In regard to the remaining prohibited destinations, licenses may be granted by you within normal limits to such usual consignees as do not appear in any list as suspected of trading with enemy, but if any consignee or country has recently been receiving suspicious quantities they should be kept short for a while.

No. 6720—San. 11-15-41, dated 10th March 1916.

It is hereby notified for general information that the attendance of persons from infected areas at the festival noted below is prohibited by the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, in exercise of the powers vested in them by the Epidemic Diseases Regulation, II of 1897 :—

Name of fair or festival	Place	Taluk	District	Period	
				From	To
Sri S meswaraswami car festival.	Mulbagal ...	Mulbagal ...	Kolar ...	28th April 1916 ...	7th May 1916.

No. 6885—San. 17-15-78, dated 15th March 1916.

It is hereby notified for general information that the attendance of persons from plague-infected areas at the fairs and festivals noted below has been prohibited by the Madras Government :—

Name of festival or fair	Place	Taluk	District	Period of restriction		Reference
				From	To	
Sri Prasanna Venkateswaraswami Brahmotsavam festival.	Tirumampet, Kangundi Division.	...	North Arcot...	7th to 20th April 1916, inclusive.		Memo. No. 299, dated 9th March 1916, from the First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore.
Sri Kodandaramaswami Brahmotsavam festival and cattle fair.	Kallabudugur, Kuppam Division.	...	Do ...	9th to 21st March 1916, inclusive.		Do
Kaliyamman jatra ...	Nattappatti	Dharmapuri	Salem ...	10th to 25th April 1916, inclusive.		Do. No. 297, dated 9th March 1916.
Kaliyamman jatra ...	Adamban-kottai.	Do ...	Do ...	11th to 25th March 1916, inclusive.		Do
Budubalu jatra ...	Budubalu	Kollegal ...	Coimbatore ...	15th to 21st March 1916, inclusive.		Do. No. 295, dated 9th March 1916.
Uchchangamma jatra	Uchchangai-durgam.	Harapana-halli.	Bellary ...	28th March to 6th April 1916, inclusive.		Do. No. 293, dated 9th March 1916.
Kuthandawswami festival and cattle fair.	Kuvvakkam and in the villages around it.	Tirukkoyilur	South Arcot ..	31st March to 23rd April 1916, inclusive.		Do. No. 309, dated 11th March 1916.
Ahobilam Narasimha-swami festival.	Ahobilam.	Sirvel ...	Kurnool ...	15th March to 1st April 1916, inclusive.		Do. No. 303, dated 11th March 1916.

No. 6886—San. 17-15-79, dated 15th March 1916.

The following notification of the Madras Government is republished for general information:—

Whereas the Governor in Council is satisfied that there is danger of an outbreak of plague at Ujjiani in the Kudligi Taluk of the Bellary District, if persons from the infected portions of the Bellary and Anantapur Districts, the Mysore and Hyderabad States, the Bombay Presidency and other parts declared to be infected with plague are permitted to visit that place on the occasion of the ensuing Sri Marulasiddheswarawaswami car festival:

In exercise of the powers delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act of 1897, the Governor in Council prohibits the attendance at the said festival, from the 3rd to 9th May 1916, inclusive, of persons from the said parts and further directs that between the said dates no tickets to travel by railway shall be sold at the Stations of Hospet and Hindupur on the Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway for the Station of Kottur on the same Railway, to any person intending or believed to be intending to be present at the said festival.

All persons proceeding to the said festival in contravention of this notification will be turned back.

By Order.

D. M. NARASINGA RAO,
Secretary to Government,
General Department.

REVENUE.

No. Fl. 4182—S. R. 94-14-1, dated 28th February 1916.

Some difficulties having arisen in the working of the rules contained in Government Order No. 2074-S8—R. F. 166-92, dated the 2nd August 1901, regarding the settlement of Inamidars' claims to the excise revenue from toddy of their villages during the tree-tax period, it is proposed to revise them as indicated below and to apply the modified rules for dealing with all cases during the tree-tax period.

(1) To substitute the following Rules for Rules 9 to 15 :—

9 (i) The proprietor of an alienated village who is entitled to excise revenue from toddy shall get only the *revenue actually accruing in his village*, whether in the shape of rent for the shop or shops situated therein, or the tree-tax on the trees tapped in his village (irrespective of the location of the shop for which they are tapped) or both, minus the local cess thereon and establishment charges at 6 per cent of the revenue or such other rate as may be fixed from time to time.

(ii) The shop rent payable under the foregoing rule from 1915-16, onwards shall be the amount realised as such in any year subject to the condition that it shall not exceed at any time the average realization from this item in respect of the particular Inam shop during the three official years preceding 1915-16.

(iii) Similarly the tree-tax from 1915-16, onwards shall be calculated at the marginally noted rates on the number of trees actually tapped within the limits of the Inam village during each year subject to the condition that if the rate is reduced by Government at any future date, payment shall be made only at such reduced rate for the time being."

(2) To read for "reasonable.....above" in existing Rule 24 "compensation equal to 20 times the average annual amount actually paid in respect of that shop during the preceding three years." This will apply only to cases in which shops belonging to or, situated in alienated villages are closed *permanently*.

(3) To substitute for Rule 25 the following :—

"Whenever an Inamdar entitled to excise revenue from toddy is willing to compound his right to shop rent, Government will be prepared to sanction an immediate payment of 20 times the average annual amount actually received by him in respect of that shop during the preceding three years."

2. Before finally passing the modifications, Government will be glad to receive within a period of three months from this date the views and suggestions, if any, of the public thereon.